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Gary David Mohr et al.

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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to their duty of good faith and candor as set forth in 37 CFR 1.56(a), applicants request that the references cited on attached form PTO-1449 (copies of which are enclosed) be considered by the Examiner in connection with the search of the prior art required by 37 CFR 1.104.

<u>REMARKS</u>

The references cited in the attached form PTO-1449 are cited in a May 20, 2000 International Search Report. A copy of the International Search Report is enclosed herewith. The Report is in the English language.

This statement is being filed under 37 CFR 1.97(b) before the mailing of a first Office Action on the merits.

Respectfully submitted,

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